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## THE KING SERIOUSLY ILL.

Coronation is Postponed Indefinitely. His Majesty is Operated upon for Periphylitis. Is now Sleeping Quietly.

Mr. Austin, Free Press agent here, received the following telegram from his paper at noon to-day:

London, England, June 24.—The coronation ceremonies have been indefinitely postponed on account of the King's illness. His Majesty has been successfully operated upon for periphylitis. At two o'clock this afternoon the King was sleeping quietly.

"Periphylitis" is inflammation of the tissues surrounding the large bowel. An abscess sometimes forms, when it becomes necessary to operate to remove the pus. While being of course dangerous, the disease is not necessarily fatal, if diagnosed promptly and operated upon at the right time by clever surgeons. The operation necessitates absolute quiet for some time afterwards, hence the indefinite postponement of His Majesty's coronation.

Later—This afternoon's latest bulletins state that the King is bearing up well after the operation, and his recovery is expected in from three to four weeks. The disease which so suddenly attacked His Majesty is an inflammation of the tissues about the vermiform appendix, and is akin to appendicitis.

Ottawa, June 24.—The Dominion government has recalled the proclamation making Thursday, June 26th a public holiday.

## WEST WARD SCHOOL.

The following are the Norman public school promotion examination results:

Third Class to Fourth Class—Total marks 730; pass 365.  
Mary Heffern ..... 549  
Flossie Snider ..... 540  
Ralph Greenwood ..... 524  
Kenneth Dulanage ..... 499  
Lewie Tweedie ..... 485  
Pearl Snider ..... 472  
Ross Tweedie ..... 462  
Judith Norrens ..... 458  
May McCann ..... 453  
Alfred Norrens ..... 437  
Roy Greer ..... 419  
Harold Greenwood ..... 369

Second Class to Third Class—Total mark 555; pass 277  
John John ..... 544  
Johnny McMurphy ..... 531  
Norman Patterson ..... 490

Arthur Kay ..... 315  
Harold Brash ..... 298  
Martha Mayer ..... 296  
Harry Greenwood ..... 295  
Dan Pritchard ..... 280  
Olga Greer ..... 278

Junior II to Senior II—Euphemia Paterson, Bessie Greenwood.  
Part II to Junior II—Louise Christeson, Hannah Pritchard, Viola Foster, Elsie Brash, Gordon Greer, Clarence Barnes, Carl Johnson, Bert Keffern, Harry Corbett

Senior I to Part II—Charlie Torrance, Allan Scott, George Scott, John Johnson, Fanny Johnson, Annie Norrens, Irene Johnson, Maya Polson, Gwenna Davies, Edith Greenwood, John Hohnstrom.

Class to St. I—Gray Cowie, Roy Large, Pearl Pritchard, Irene Esterbrook, Edith McCann, Gilbert Davidson, Arthur Heffern, Nellie Patterson

Class "B" to Class "C"—Alfred Bryant, Loretta Barnes, Carl Berg, hand, Peter Polson.

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informing on him the last time he was in, so that this will likely be one more charge laid against him. After hearing an account of the affair the judge remanded the prisoner until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

## KILLED ON THE TRACK.

William Hornby struck by an incoming train. Expires in three hours.

While walking the track early Sunday morning William Hornby, aged 37 years, was struck by an incoming freight train, and was so terribly injured that he died three hours afterwards. The accident occurred just outside the C. P. R. yard limit in the first rock cut. The crew of the freight train gave the alarm as soon as they reached the station, and a gang of men immediately repaired to the scene of the accident when Hornby was found still alive but unconscious. He was brought to the hospital, but he breathed his last about three hours afterwards.

Deceased, who was a native of England, was at one time in the band of a Hussar regiment, and served during the Sudan campaign with his corps. Afterwards coming to Canada he settled at Port Arthur but left there about four years ago and came to Rat Portage. He was a good musician and the Citizens Band soon found work for him as a painter. He became a member of this organization as baritone player but when this band fell with desuetude, he drifted into any kind of work, and earned but a very precarious livelihood.

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## WILL WORK ELDORADO.

Northern Light Gold Mining Co'y, have purchased this rich claim and stamp mill.

A deal has just been consummated whereby the Northern Light Gold Mining company acquire twelve mining locations, including the Eldorado mine, situated on Eagle Lake. It is the intention of the company to begin operations on the latter property at once, using the two stamp mill and camps of the mine. The Eldorado is the Gatenbury property, which fell into litigation some time ago owing to trouble between the owners. The legal difficulties have, however, been fixed up at last and this well known property will be systematically developed by the new company. The stamp mill, which has a capacity of about five tons per day, will be used for testing the ore from all the Northern Light company's claims situated in the vicinity, and to make it more complete a concentrating plant will be installed, so that the entire value of all the ores may be known as development proceeds. The Eldorado lode will be developed first.

## ALL-OVER-CANADA ITEMS.

Boiled Down into Readable Paragraphs for Busy People.

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## MINER MAKING BAD RECORD.

John Stewart, a powerfully built miner, appeared before Judge Robinson this morning in the police court, to answer to charges of threatened arson, carrying concealed weapons, assault and resisting arrest.

Stewart a few weeks ago threatened to burn a house of ill-fame, and an information being laid against him by the proprietress, he skipped for the wood. Remaining concealed until Saturday night, when he returned to town. The police spotted him, and Constable Emmons, the provincial officer, accompanied by municipal police Constable Johnson, went to his haunt, and after considerable struggle finally presented him with a pair of bracelets. It appears that he attempted to choke the proprietress of the haunt on Sunday morning for

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After the adoption of minutes of previous meetings, the following communications were received:

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The communications of Louis Hillard and George Drewry re flooded excavations on Second street were referred to the board of works with power to act.

The finance committee report authorized the payment of accounts aggregating \$668.38, was received and adopted.

The half yearly report of the Fire Brigade was received and accepted.

The council was served with a writ to appear in the Division Court as co-defendants with the C. T. & E. Co. in an action for damages to the amount of \$50 sustained by a horse and carriage belonging to R. W. Preston, livery stable keeper.

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Moved by Aldermen Horswill and Hudson, that an election be held to fill the vacancy at the aldermanic board caused by the retirement of Alderman Chadwick.

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Mr. Fred Phelan, who is registered at the Russ House, is registered at the Russ House.

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Mr. Watkin Mills is the greatest bass singer in the British empire. Don't miss hearing him.

Mr. A. W. Thompson, sheriff of Port Arthur, is registered at the Opera House.

People.

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Some citizens of North Bay want the name of the town changed. They think it is too Arctic like.

George Edmondson, K.C., will act as deputy judge at Peterboro during the absence of Judge Weller.

The estate of the late T. A. Wardell, ex-M.P.P., Dundas, amounts to \$12,310. It is left to his brother.

The 43rd regiment, Ottawa, has declined an invitation to spend the 4th of July at Burlington, Vt.

A large number of cows in the district about Kingston are dying from overfeeding on green clover.

A boy with a catapult struck J. R. Lavel, M.P., Smith's Falls, and the eye, and the M. P. nearly to his life.

Hon. Clifford Sifton delivered lecture on the Alaskan boundary dispute at Landsay. He was afterwards banqueted.

Mrs. Richard Skuce, an old lady, committed suicide by jumping out of the window of the House of Refuge at Stratford.

L. N. Marshall has been appointed excise officer for the town of Brockville, to succeed the late Mr. Edmund Marshall.

Provided London gives an inducement of \$50,000 or \$60,000 it may get the Noxon Implement works to leave Ingersoll. Negotiations are on.

Freight handlers in the G. T. R. freight sheds at Brockville are expected to receive an increase of 1 cent a day. Blackmen are taking the place.

On Wednesday Wilbur C. Corbett, a hardware merchant of Tweed, was married to Miss Ethel Johnston, daughter of Rev. Wm. Johnston of St. ...

It is reported that Mr. Wellington Munro has consented to be the Liberal candidate in North Renfrew for the vacancy in the legislature caused by his father's death.

Mr. Winter, who has taken over Mr. Wright's photographic gallery has now got his studio fixed up to do first class work.

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## THE GREATNESS OF BRITAIN.

"The peace which Great Britain has made with the Boers," says the New York Investor, "is calculated to impress one anew with the greatness of the British Empire and of the British character. Great Britain has come out of the war in a manner profoundly to impress minds that are raised above prejudice and passion with the fact that she is still the most humane, the most generous, the most self-reliant of nations. She deprives the conquered of no real liberty; she devotes several years of time, hundreds of millions of money, and a great many thousands of lives to the task of making a handful of stiff-necked Dutchmen accord her citizens justice, but when this task is accomplished she does not, as a necessity which is unparalleled, exacting a return to cover her enormous expenditures, but she gives a great amount of cash to put her former subjects on a comfortable material circumstances once more. Humanity denotes fundamental characteristics of the British race which it is impossible to conceive otherwise must be regarded as bringing a long-continued greatness."

## PLAY YOUR OWN GAME.

"Why," says a saying as lying, "quoit Hamlet to Guildenstern when sought to get him to essay his skill upon the fate. He did only to govern the veils with his fingers and certain manner and blow his breath into the instrument of it and discourse most excellent music. So to a man like Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, material success in life seems so perfectly easy that he imagines that he can impart the secret to youth by glib advice. In a recent address to the graduating class at a Pennsylvania college he catalogued, among other open sesame to wealth, this exhortation: "Be original." If a young man would not follow the beaten path, he told them, he would thereby attract attention and win promotion."

This does without saying. It is a truth so obvious that there are few who haven't thought of it. But to think of it, and to do it, or to be it, are quite different problems. How can a man be original if nature has not endowed him with powers of mind to make him so? Suppose he would say to a student: "Be tall, for a noble height gives distinction," or, "Start in life with a strong and wiry constitution, for this gives endurance." The poor boy would like to have these admirable physical qualities. How can a man by thinking and one could to his stature? Can he by wishing himself be an original genius, or a genius of any kind?

Guildenstern declines Hamlet's request to make an attempt upon the fate, easy as it seemed, because he had no skill in it. So in the game of life it is well to avoid attempts at tasks one is not fitted for, but to strive to do one's own thing, and to stick to it, that is the only way to success. The man who does this is the only one who can meet with some degree of success.

the Americans or the English capitalists are supplying the larger proportion of this assistance is a big question. Personally I do not care to express an opinion on the point. However, Canada's prosperity in the future is assured."

The Alaska-Treadwell Mining Company uses a hydrolic press for squeezing the excess of mercury from the gold amalgam obtained from the mill clean-up. The amalgam is put into bags of canvas, which are placed in a cylinder, the walls of which are perforated. A ram is forced into this cylinder and against the bags with great pressure. The amalgam obtained in this way is much richer than that obtained by hand squeezing. Besides, the operation is quicker.

A correspondent sends a clipping from a San Francisco paper in which Governor Brady of Alaska discusses the soil possibilities in Alaska. Governor Brady declares the finest farm land in the world exists in that distant territory and that it will one day be the greatest agricultural possession of the United States. Our correspondent oppositely remarks: "If this is true of Alaska what about the Yukon Territory and northern British Columbia in Canada?"

A Los Angeles man, who is suing a railroad company for damages claims that on account of said company's negligence his right arm was broken in three places, his right hand smashed and the fingers amputated, all ribs on right side broken, two ribs of left side broken, left arm broken, collar bone broken, ear torn off, nearly all teeth knocked out, besides other permanent injuries. At the rate of damages usually claimed for one broken bone or a bad bruise, he should have demanded the whole railroad as damages.

The New York Sun's special correspondent writes: "Today we saw St. Pierre, the ghastliest ghost of the modern centuries. But yesterday the fairest of the fair of the wondrous cities of the storied Antilles, bright, beautiful, glorious, glistening, and shimmering in her prism of tropical radiance, an opalescent city in a setting of towering forest and mountain; now a waste of ashen gray without life, form, color, shape a drear monotone, a dim blur on the landscape—it seems even more than the contrast between life and death. The dead may live; St. Pierre is not alive and never will be. Out of shape has come a void. It is the apothesis of annihilation. To one who sits amid the ruins and gazes the long miles upward over the sea and sides of La Pelee still thundering her terrible wrath, may come some conception of the future ruin of the world."

A question which has not been raised, so far as we are aware, but which seems to deserve some consideration, relates to the patent law which will obtain under the new Transvaal government. As is well known the courts of the South African Republic held that the M. Arthur-Forrest cyanide patents were not valid, and mining companies were freed from the payment of royalties under those patents. But under English law the patents are valid. Will the British decision hold good in the new Crown colony? Will the law of the old government prevail? Or will entirely new regulations be made in the new patent matters? As all the Witwatersrand companies use the cyanide process, this seems to be a point which should be decided at an early date. Of course the law of the old republic as to mining claims will hold good for all mines located under it, but the continued use of a process is a different matter—English Mining Journal.

The Council received a batch of letters.

Redistribution is R.C.  
The Bureau of Provincial Information has issued a bulletin of statistics showing the population of the newly arranged constituencies of British Columbia, which enables any one interested to size up the division made. The figures are as follows:

The Island—	
Alberni.....	4,841
Comox.....	5,240
Cowichan.....	3,498
Esquimalt.....	2,051
Nanaimo City.....	6,130
Newcastle.....	4,874
Saanich.....	3,412
Victoria (inc. 103 Indians).....	20,919
Average per member, 5,181.	
Islands.....	1,260
The Mainland—	
Atlin.....	2,812
Skeneau.....	8,715
Vancouver (inc. 877 Indians).....	20,919
Average per member, 5,277.	
Chilliwack (inc. 508 Indians).....	3,680
Betta (inc. 246 Indians).....	5,074
Lawdney (inc. 530 Indians).....	4,306
Richmond.....	5,791
New Westminster.....	6,490
Cariboo (inc. Indians).....	3,507
Two members, average 1,553.	
Lillooet (inc. Indians).....	3,985
Columbia.....	1,938
Tempe.....	5,740
Cranbrook.....	2,762
Nelson City.....	5,172
Ymir.....	3,928
Revelstoke.....	2,351
Rossland City.....	6,133
Slocan.....	3,509
Kaslo.....	2,491
Grand Forks.....	3,162
Greenwood.....	3,520
Okanagan (inc. Indians).....	4,209
Shillikamien (inc. Indians).....	1,350
Kamloops (inc. Indians).....	3,511
Yale (inc. Indians).....	2,539

There are 4,201 Indians in the four districts last mentioned.

Indian Curios.  
Probably one of the most interesting Indian curios ever brought here was received from the north by the Tees in the shape of a piece of copper formerly owned by Chief Skowell, who in his time was one of the most powerful and wealthy Indian chiefs in Alaska. The copper is part of the equipment of every chief of any standing, and the use of it is put to is quite characteristic. If the chief has a difference with a neighboring chief he hucks off a piece of copper to indicate his power and wealth, and when the difference has been settled and peace restored, it is riveted on again. The piece which has just arrived has been riveted five times, indicating that Skowell had as many quarrels. It is two feet one inch in length, eleven inches wide at the centre and sixteen and a half inches at the top. Ethnologists are keenly interested in Indian curios of the world over. America B.C. Times.

If you have a dime, don't make yourself believe it is a dollar. That is what you do when you stop work to tell what a good man you are—Atchafalaya.

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idiots and the lower animals cannot  
blush; but it appears that some tribes  
still on the outskirts of barbarism pre-  
serve the faculty to an astonishing de-  
gree.

The blush is a grace of life, a mark  
of vitality and of youthfulness. It be-  
tokens a great cerebral sensibility ac-  
companied by a perfectly sensitive skin. By  
a sort of instinct for personal defense  
at the slightest attack—a word or a  
mere glance—there is a rush of energy.  
I say energy, and not emotion. The  
heart beats no faster, but a signal  
from the brain sends a rush of all the  
spare blood to the skin, and, owing to  
the congestion of the small blood ves-  
sels, an extraordinary glow spreads  
over the face to the tips of the ear, to  
the roots of the hair, to the throat,  
sometimes even to the top of the  
bosom.

Darwin saw the back of a young girl  
blush and declares that in certain cir-  
cumstances blushing may suffuse the  
whole body. It is as though the mind  
were hanging a curtain before the body  
to assert its right of precedence.—*Le  
Clavier*, "The Art of Life."

### Killing a Baby.

When Frank R. Stockton had plan-  
ned out his book of Pomona's travels  
and was about ready to write it, he re-  
sided in Philadelphia. He had a busi-  
ness appointment with his dentist, an  
old friend, one day, when the following  
incident, told by himself, occurred:

"While in the chair I got to talking  
with this friend about my new book. I  
told him I had serious thoughts of kill-  
ing that baby. He was much interest-  
ed. We talked over the advisability of  
doing this, and, while he was not quite  
convinced, he in the main agreed with  
me. I had been finished with and  
clasping his hand, went into the wait-  
ing room on my way out. This waiting  
room was filled with women.

"As I passed through the door I  
heard him call, 'Then you have posi-  
tively decided to kill that baby?' Posi-  
tively,' I replied.

"You should have seen the women  
stare. It was not until I got well out in  
the hallway that I realized what they  
must of course have been thinking."

### Miller's Hospitable Managerie.

W. Gordon McCabe says that when  
Stockton Millies, the poet, aspired to  
grasp the social literary scepter falling  
from the withered hands of Rogers he  
gathered around his breakfast table in  
Fall Mall men of the most diverse per-  
sonalities, creeds and tastes. In fact,  
the chief requirement for securing an  
invitation to these breakfasts, which  
soon became a talk of London, seems  
to have been that the guest must be a  
blow of some sort. Men of such pro-  
nounced differences as Count d'Orsay,  
the elegant dandy, the rugged Thomas  
Carlyle, Sydney Smith, the brilliant  
wit, and Conroy Thirlwall, the grave  
historian, sat there side by side, and  
had Buffalo Bill burst upon the town  
in those days Mr. McCabe thinks he  
too, would undoubtedly have rubbed  
elbows in Miller's hospitable managerie  
with Tom Macaulay and Aubrey de  
Vere.

### Precedent.

A clever answer in court was that  
given to Chief Justice Coleridge years  
ago, when he was defending a lady who  
had become a Sister of Mercy and was  
expelled from the convent for refusing  
to obey the rules.

She had brought an action for expul-  
sion and libel. In the course of the  
trial Coleridge assumed that breaches  
of discipline are trivial, contemptible  
and should never be noticed.

"What has Miss Sawin done?" he  
asked Mrs. Kennedy, a mistress of  
novices.

"Well," said the lady, "she has, for  
example, eaten strawberries."

"Eaten strawberries? What harm is  
there in that?"

"It was forbidden, sir," said Mrs.  
Kennedy.

"But, Mrs. Kennedy, what trouble  
was likely to come from eating straw-  
berries?"

"Well, sir," said Mrs. Kennedy, "you  
might as well ask what trouble was  
likely to come from eating an apple,  
and yet we know what trouble did  
come from it."

That closed the discussion.

### Too Much For the Sheriff.

An Irish widow with a quick wit one  
day received a call from a sheriff who  
had a writ to serve on her. According  
to the story, the widow saved the day  
by some rapid fire courting which took  
the sheriff by surprise when he called  
at her house and began in formal fash-  
ion:

"Madam, I have an attachment for  
you."

"My dear sir," she said, blushing.  
"your attachment is reciprocated."

"You don't understand me. You must  
proceed to court," said the sheriff.

"Well, I know 'tis leap year, but I  
prefer to let you do the courting your-  
self. Men are much better at that than  
women."

"Mrs. Phelan, this is no time for fool-  
ing. The justice is waiting."

"The justice waiting! Well, then, I  
suppose I must go, but the thing is so  
sudden, and besides I'd prefer a priest  
to do it."

### A Useful Woman.

"Blennerhasset," said Mrs. Bliggins  
as he was about to start down town,  
"can you let me have a little money to  
run the house with today?"

"You can have just 50 cents," he  
growled, flinging the coin at her and  
slamming the door behind him as he  
went out.

"By the way, Bliggins," said a friend  
who dropped into his place of business  
an hour or two later, "will you go my  
security on a note for \$500?"

"Shortleigh," replied Bliggins, "it is  
an indexible rule in my family that I  
must never do anything of that kind  
without consulting my wife."

### A Summer Without Nights.

To the summer visitor in Sweden  
there is nothing more striking than the  
almost total absence of night. At Stock-  
holm, the Swedish capital, the sun goes  
down a few minutes before 10 o'clock  
and rises again four hours later during  
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### SILKS

300 yards Near Silk in Spots and Foulard Patterns. Regular value 35c. Sale Price 15c per yard.

### DAMASKS

100 yards Unbleached Table Damask, 62 inches wide. Regular value 70c. Sale Price 45c.

### 24 SILK WAIST SUITS

Skirt and Blouse made of Heavy Percale. All Fast Colors. Sizes 32 to 38. Good value at \$4.50. Sale Price \$3.00

### BLOUSES

5 Doz. White Lawn Blouses. Tucked back and front. Regular value \$1.25. Sale Price 85c.

### KITCHEN APRONS

9 Doz. Butcher Linen Kitchen Aprons. Very full made. Red, Blue or Pink Binding. Regular value 65c. Sale Price 40c.

### Improved Form Corsets

3 doz. Latest Style Improved Form Corsets. Regular \$1.25 goods. Sale Price 75c.

### Negligee Shirts

2 doz. Men's Negligee Shirts in Fancy Silk Fronts. Regular price \$1.25. Sale Price 75c.

### Men's Tan Merino Hose

6 doz. Men's Tan Merino Hose. Regular 20c. Sale 3 for 35c.

### Boys' Brownie Suits

23 Boys' Brownie 3-piece Suits, in best quality of Serge and Tweed. Regular value at \$4.50 and \$5.00. Sale Price \$2.90 per suit.

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### Local Interest

D. H. H. has received a letter from Mr. Thomas, late leader of the band, who is now on a tour of the far position at St. John's. He is working for the St. John's office.

A w. works subscriptions have been in very encouragingly, and the gentlemen in charge of the work feel confident in starting operations, trusting to the generosity of the public to subscribe the remainder of the required amount.

Dr. Scott is laying out a handsome boulevard along the front of his residence property on Main street.

### A Remarkable Case.

TOLE BY MR. ORLIN POST, OF CRUMIDCE, MANITOBA.

Suffered Greatly for Five Years From Rheumatism - Doctors and Many Medicines Failed to Help Him, But He Got the Right Medicine at Last.

From the Echo, Dominion City, Man. Recently while chatting with a reporter of the Echo, Mr. Orlin Post

### CHASING A GHOST.

The Way Whale Hunters Are Sometimes Fooled by "Spouting."

While the right whale is not so large nor so vicious as the sperm whale, the danger of hunting it is greater. In company with a fleet of ships, also bound for the arctic whaling grounds, says a writer in a contemporary, we sailed from San Francisco in February, and early in April we encountered the edge of the ice in Bering sea. The whales live far in the ice, and thither we went to find them. One day a mother seal with a pup would not fly because of the ice, holding her ground quietly with fear in her eyes, while the pup swam busily at our presumption in the ice and them.

We had been "hunting" for more than a week when we reached Cape Navar on the Siberian coast, a bleak, mountainous, dreary place. The next morning we saw another ship coming toward us, the dense black smoke from her try works showing she had recently caught a whale. In the afternoon we pushed on beyond the cape, and the lookout was cautioned to be extra vigilant. From his place in the crow's nest he scoured the sea with long glass, and presently there came the

M. Gustaf Anderson, whose husband died a few weeks ago, leaving the family in destitute circumstances wishes to thank the people of Rat Portage who so kindly came to her aid in her hour of need.

### COOKING HINTS.

Don't salt cucumbers or eggplant before cooking. It makes them indigestible and unpalatable.

Avoid peeling rhubarb when it is young and tender, for it only needs wiping with a damp cloth before using.

A piece of tough meat can be very nicely stewed in a double boiler. It will take twice as long, however, as if cooked directly over the fire.

Fish which contain few bones may be converted into fillets by dividing the flesh from the backbone in long, wide strips and then removing any smaller bones. Such supply the best fillets.

Crisp and crumbs of bread left over from the table should be dried, put in a bag for rolling and dipping, or to be used in making cakes or mixed with a few sliced apples and baked and served as a pudding.

To prevent sauce from bursting when it is heated, mix it with a little of the

## Special in the Grocery Dept.

Just unloaded a quantity of Choice Table

# BUTTER

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